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***"AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY  
RESPONSE AUTHORITY."***

1 After line 115, insert the following and reletter the remaining  
2 subsections and internal references accordingly:

3 "(d) The isolation or quarantine shall be by the least restrictive  
4 means essential to prevent the spread of a communicable or possibly  
5 communicable disease to others and may include, but is not limited to,  
6 confinement to private homes with the agreement of the owner or  
7 contracted tenant of that home, other private premises or public  
8 premises. A person's first choice to remain in such person's private  
9 residence shall be granted by the commissioner unless there is clear  
10 and convincing evidence that doing so would be detrimental to the  
11 public health with regard to the declared emergency."